

FACTS & FIGURES – Viessmann Nordic Combined World Cup – Oslo

MEN

- Jarl Magnus Riiber (NOR) is aiming to win a record sixth overall title. He currently shares the record with Eric Frenzel (GER), who won five in a row from 2012-13 to 2016-17
- Riiber leads Vinzenz Geiger (GER) by 81 points in the standings with four competitions left. After a Gundersen on Saturday and Compact on Sunday, there are two more events in Lahti (FIN) on 21 and 22 March, to conclude the season
- Riiber has won the Kings Cup, awarded by the Norwegian royal family to the winner only on Saturdays in Oslo, a total of six times since 2016. More than any other Nordic Combined athlete before him. During this period, next to Riiber, only **Akito Watabe** (JPN) managed to win the coveted trophy twice (2017, 2018).

WOMEN

- Oslo will be the first time the women have competed on a large hill in the FIS Nordic Combined World Cup since they first started competing in the 2020-21 season
- The Holmenkollen mountain will host the final two events of this season's women's World Cup a Gundersen on Saturday and a Compact event on Sunday
- Nathalie Armbruster is aiming to become the first German to win the overall title after American Tara Geraghty-Moats (2020-21) and the Norwegian duo Gyda Westwold Hansen (2021-22 and 2022-23) and Ida Marie Hagen (2023-24).
- Until this season, Norway had won 32 of the 34 previous women's World Cup competitions, via Westvold Hansen (21), Hagen (9) and Mari Leinan-Lund (2)
- The only exceptions were Tara Geraghty-Moats (USA), who won the inaugural women's World Cup event in Ramsau in December 2020, and Anju Nakamura (JPN), who won in Schonach in March 2022
- Although Ida Marie Hagen has won eight of the 12 World Cup events this season, Nathalie Armbruster (GER) has won three of the last five to lead the standings by 102 points, with **Yuna Kasai** (JPN) also earning her maiden World Cup victory
- Armbruster is leading the women's World Cup ranking by 102 points ahead of **Haruka Kasai** (JPN) who reached the podium 7 times this season, while Hagen lays 133 points behind the German.